

To cause removal &c., of certain poor persons.

cause the removal of such poor person to the County where he was last legally settled; and to recover by action in the Superior Court from the said County, all the charges and expenses whatever incurred for the maintenance or removal of such poor person.

To establish public hospitals.

25. To establish public hospitals for the County in cases of necessity, and to make such rules, regulations and by-laws as they deem useful, for preventing the spread of contagious and infectious diseases, and for taking care of those afflicted thereby, the same not being inconsistent with the laws of the State; and they shall raise by taxation the necessary moneys to defray the charges and expenses incurred under this subdivision.

To procure weights and measures.

26. To procure for their respective Counties sealed weights and measures, according to the standard, prescribed by the Congress of the United States; and to elect a Standard-keeper, who shall qualify before the Board and give bond approved by them, as prescribed by law.

To appoint Commissioner to open and clear rivers and creeks.

27. To appoint a Commissioner, in case they deem it expedient, to open and clear the rivers and creeks within the County or where such river or creek forms a County line or a part thereof. For this purpose they are authorized to withdraw from the public roads such lands as they deem necessary, and allot them to such work under overseers and the direction of the Commissioner. They may impose the duties of this subdivision on the Inspector of highways and bridges when appointed; and they shall in all respects conduct the opening and clearing of such river and creeks as prescribed by law.

To license keepers of inns, peddlers &c.

28. To license keepers of inns, taverns or ordinaries, peddlers and the retailers of spirituous and other liquors, as prescribed by law. No license shall be good for more than one year, nor granted to two or more persons to peddle as partners in trade.

To establish public landings.

29. To establish such public landings and places of inspection within their respective Counties, as they may think necessary and convenient; to appoint not more than six inspec-